COMMITTEE REPORT

MADAM PRESIDENT:

The Senate Committee on Commerce and Transportation, to which was referred House Bill No. 1150, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

1	Page 4, delete lines 39 through 42, begin a new paragraph and insert:
2	"SECTION 3. IC 9-18-2-27 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
3	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2006]: Sec. 27. (a) Except as
4	provided in subsection subsections (b) and (c), a vehicle required to be
5	registered under this chapter may not be used or operated upon the
6	highways if the motor vehicle displays any of the following:
7	(1) A registration number belonging to any other vehicle.
8	(2) A fictitious registration number.
9	(3) A sign or placard bearing the words "license applied for" or
10	"in transit" or other similar signs.
11	(b) Any other number may be displayed for any lawful purpose upon
12	a:
13	(1) motor vehicle;
14	(2) trailer;
15	(3) semitrailer; or
16	(4) recreational vehicle;
17	in addition to the license plates issued by the bureau under this chapter.
18	(c) After December 31, 2007, if a vehicle is registered as an
19	antique motor vehicle under IC 9-18-12, an authentic Indiana
20	license plate from the antique vehicle's model year may be
21	displayed on the vehicle under IC 9-18-12-2.5.
22	SECTION 4 IC 9-18-12-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS

1	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2006]: Sec. 1. (a) An antique motor
2	vehicle must be registered annually.
3	(b) The bureau may adopt a:
4	(1) registration form; and
5	(2) certificate of registration;
6	to implement this chapter.
7	(c) After December 31, 2007, a person who:
8	(1) registers an antique motor vehicle under this chapter; and
9	(2) wishes to display on the antique motor vehicle an authentic
10	license plate from the model year of the antique motor vehicle
11	under section 2.5 of this chapter;
12	must pay the required fee under IC 9-29-5-32.5.
13	SECTION 5. IC 9-18-12-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
14	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2006]: Sec. 2. (a) Except as
15	provided in section 2.5 of this chapter, the bureau shall issue one (1)
16	license plate to the person who owns an antique motor vehicle that is
17	registered under this chapter.
18	(b) A license plate for an antique motor vehicle shall be:
19	(1) manufactured of embossed steel; and
20	(2) painted a cream color.
21	(c) The lettering imprinted on a license plate issued under this
22	chapter shall:
23	(1) be painted in red;
24	(2) contain:
25	(A) the registration number assigned to the registration
26	certificate by the bureau; and
27	(B) the words "Historic Motor Vehicle, State of Indiana"; and
28	(3) indicate the year for which the antique motor vehicle has been
29	registered.
30	(d) Instead of issuing a new license plate each time that an antique
31	motor vehicle is registered, the bureau may issue to the person who
32	owns the antique motor vehicle a tag or sticker that indicates the year
33	for which the motor vehicle has been registered.
34	(e) A license plate issued under this chapter shall be securely
35	attached to the rear of an antique motor vehicle.
36	SECTION 6. IC 9-18-12-2.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
37	CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
38	[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2006]: Sec. 2.5. (a) After December 31, 2007
39	a person who registers an antique motor vehicle under this chapter
40	may:
41	(1) furnish; and
12	(2) display on the antique motor vehicle;

an Indiana license plate from the model year of the antique motor vehicle.

- (b) A license plate furnished and displayed under this section must be an authentic license plate from the model year of the antique motor vehicle.
- (c) Before a license plate is mounted on an antique motor vehicle under this section, the license plate must be inspected by the bureau to determine whether the license plate:
 - (1) complies with this section;

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- (2) is in suitable condition to be displayed; and
- (3) bears a unique plate number at the time of the registration of the antique motor vehicle.

The bureau may prohibit the display of an authentic license plate under this section if the authentic license plate is not in conformance with this subsection.

- (d) If an Indiana license plate from the model year of the antique motor vehicle is displayed on a motor vehicle registered as an antique motor vehicle under this chapter, the current certificate of registration of the antique motor vehicle shall be:
 - (1) kept at all times in the vehicle; and
 - (2) made available for inspection upon the demand of a law enforcement officer.

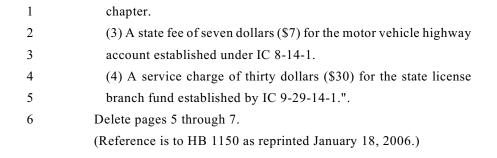
Notwithstanding IC 9-18-2-21, this subsection is not satisfied by keeping a reproduction of the certificate of registration in the vehicle or making a reproduction of the certificate of registration available for inspection.

(e) The fee to register and display an authentic license plate from the model year of an antique motor vehicle is as provided in IC 9-29-5-32.5.

SECTION 7. IC 9-29-5-28 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2006]: Sec. 28. Except as provided in IC 9-29-12-2.5(e) and section 32.5 of this chapter, the registration fee for an antique motor vehicle under IC 9-18-12 is twelve dollars (\$12).

SECTION 8. IC 9-29-5-32.5, AS ADDED BY P.L.233-2005, SECTION 7, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2006]: Sec. 32.5. The fee for a personalized license plate under IC 9-18-15 or for the registration and display of an authentic license plate for the model year of an antique motor vehicle under IC 9-18-12-2.5 is as follows:

- 41 (1) The applicable excise tax imposed under IC 6-6-5.
- 42 (2) The regular vehicle registration fee imposed under this



and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0.

Senator Landske, Chairperson